Commonwealth Local Human Rights Committee

3600 West Broad Street, Suite 400 Richmond, VA 23230

> September 13, 2012 Special Meeting Minutes

Committee Members Present:

Anika Allen: Chair Person Taneika Goldman Vice Chair Megan Stuckey Donald Wheeler

Human Rights Representative:

LaDonna Walters, Human Rights Advocate

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Anika Allen, Chairperson, at 5:38 pm. Introductions of committee members and human rights representative were made.

Public Comments:

There were no public comments.

New Business:

Affiliation for Dare to Change was approved by CWLHRC. No additional new business to report at this time.

Closed Session:

LHRC Member Election:

There was one new recommendation election to CWLHRC, Ms. Jeanette Knight. Ms. Knight has been in the human services field for 5 years. Ms. Knight has a passion for serving clients in the community. Ms. Knight serves clients with mental disabilities. Ms. Knight seeks to ensure that clients are treated fairly and that their rights are not violated. Ms. Knight pledged consistency, follow through and commitment to CWLHRC. CWLHRC members made a motion to approve Ms. Jeanette Knight as a CWLHRC member. A recommendation will be sent to the State Human Rights Committee. Welcome Ms. Jeanette Knight.

The meeting of the Commonwealth Local Human Rights Committee was adjourned at 6:05 pm by Anika Allen .